

Regional Governance Update

Presented to the SIEC

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Overview



- SCIP Strategic Initiatives & Regional Governance
- Previous Projects
- Current Efforts
 - SCIP Updates
 - County Efforts
- Planned Efforts
 - RICP Development
 - TICP Development
 - Other Support

2010 Related SCIP Initiatives



- SCIP Initiative #1 – Current Related Governance Initiative

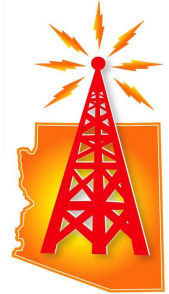
Expand & Implement Interoperable Communications Governance Model & Plan

- Conduct an annual review SCIP update (In process for 2011)
- Develop TICPs and expand the utilization of CASM (in process)
- Strengthen the SIEC (Complete).

- SCIP Initiative #6 – Current Related Regional Initiative

Implement, Enhance and Promote Functional Regional Systems in Support of Interoperable Communications

Key Previous Projects



- Statewide Governance Advancement 2008-2010
- Cochise County – Stakeholder Meetings; Received assistance in developing a RICP through the OEC/ICTAP Technical Assistance Program
- Pima County - Governance Assessment for Pima County Wireless Integrated Network (PCWIN) – June 2010
- Santa Cruz County – Stakeholder Meetings; RICP Development
- Yuma County – Supported TICP Development

Planned 2011 SCIP Updates



- Proposed Change to Existing SCIP Governance Initiative (#1):
 - Eliminate reference to strengthening SIEC – a completed effort
 - Move reference to CASM and TICPs to New Regional Governance initiative
 - Add the following new objective: “Continue to evolve the relationship between statewide governance entities and evolving regional and local governance entities”
- Proposed New Regional Governance Initiative (#2): Develop Regional Communications Governance Structures, including the following key objectives:
 - Develop TICPS and expand the utilization of CASM
 - Develop tactical planning among federal, state, local and tribal governments at the regional interstate level (NECP milestone).

Current Efforts



- Pinal & Gila Counties
 - Regional Governance Workshops - January 26 & 27
 - Review of the existing interoperability governance structure and documentation
 - Summary GAP analysis and recommendations for moving forward
 - Plan follow-up in April/May timeframe to facilitate next steps in development of governance and/or SOPs and related action items
- Mohave County
 - RICP Workshop held March 3, 2011
 - First draft RICP under development
 - Second stakeholder engagement session to be held in April
 - Final RICP expected end of April

Planned - RICP Development



- One initial and one follow-up all day stakeholder engagement session designed to develop the RICP based upon a regional needs assessment.
- The RICP sessions focus on:
 - Documenting existing regional communications capabilities,
 - Discussing gaps in regional communications and the impacts of those gaps on the public safety community's ability to execute their mission, and
 - Identifying and prioritizing regional communications initiatives to advance interoperable communications to the region.
- Follow-up Work by PSIC Office with local stakeholders to develop the final RICP.
- Interested Communities should contact PSIC Office.

Planned - TICP Development



- Tactical Interoperable Communications Plans (TICP) and utilization of the Communications Asset Survey and Mapping (CASM) enable:
 - Collection and maintenance of information on public safety communications assets
 - Identification of interoperability gaps between and among agencies and jurisdictions
 - Aggregation of information with which to create investment justifications / funding requests to fill communication gaps
 - Documentation regarding the level of interoperability between agencies/regions
- Usage of these tools will support successful NECP Goal Two assessments in accordance with Arizona's NECP Goal Two Methodology (July 2010).
- Communities who have been working with us, and are ready to proceed, are being contacted to begin completing their TICP utilizing existing grant funds.
- TICPs for additional communities will be developed in the future based on community interest, funding partnerships and lessons learned.

Other Support Available to Regions



- NECP Goal II Preparation Support
- AIRS Training Program and Usage Support
- All-Hazards Communications Unit Leader (COML) Training Support
- New Workshops - Communication Unit Integration into National Incident Management System (NIMS)/Incident Command System (ICS) *(to be discussed in PSIC Office Update)*



Questions?

Thank You!

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